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Seventy-sixth meeting of
NUMISMATICS INTERNATIONAL
Wednesday, October 21, 1970, 7:30 P.M.
Republic Savings & Loan Assn.
Community Room (East Side)
6300 East Mockingbird Lane
DALLAS, TEXAS, U.S.A.

PROGRAM: "Military Payment Certificates"

SPEAKER: TOM BAIN

ATTENDANCE PRIZE: Netherlands 2-1/2 Gulden, 1847, Silver
Craig #92 -- Value: \$10.00

SEPTEMBER ATTENDANCE PRIZE: The prize was held over until
this month after 3 draws. Non-attending members whose names
were drawn were: J. E. McKinney; Violetta Kelley, Edward
Coyne. YOU MUST BE IN ATTENDANCE TO WIN.

AUCTION: 40-lot auction this meeting, attendance permitting.

DOOR PRIZES: Usual door prizes to be awarded.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS: New membership cards have been received
from the printer and are included with the mailing of this
bulletin. These are permanent cards and will not be renewed
each calendar year. Replacements can be obtained on request.

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<u>COUNTRY</u>		<u>TENTATIVE CATALOG NO. & ISSUE</u>	<u>NI VALUE</u>
ARGENTINA:	Y37	5 Centavos 1970, Aluminum	\$.10
	Y39	20 Centavos 1970, Brass	.20
BULGARIA:	Y73	5 Leva 1970, Silver, Comm. 120th Anniv. Birth of Ivan Vazov	12.00
CAPE VERDE IS.:	YA9	5 Escudos 1968, Cop.-Nickel	1.50
CUBA:	Y29	20 Centavos 1969, Aluminum	1.00
CZECHOSLOVAKIA:	Y83	50 Korun 1970, Silver, Lenin Com.	3.00
DOMINICAN REP.:	Y30	1 Peso 1969, Cop.-Nickel, Comm. 125th Anniv. of the Republic	3.50
GUERNSEY:	Y10	1/2 New Penny 1971, Bronze	.10
	Y11	1 New Penny 1971, Bronze	.15
	Y12	2 New Pence 1971, Bronze	.25
HUNGARY:	YA97	2 Forint 1970, Brass	.90
	Y113	50 Forint 1970, Silver, Comm. 25th Anniv. of Liberation	4.50
	Y114	100 Forint 1970, Silver, Comm. 25th Anniv. of Liberation	7.50
ICELAND:	Y13a	10 Aurar 1970, Aluminum	.20
	Y21	50 Kronur 1970, Copper-Nickel	2.25
MALAGASY REP.:	Y4	10 Francs 1970 (21mm), Copper-Aluminum-Nickel, FAO Coinage	.75
	Y5	20 Francs 1970 (24.5mm), Copper-Aluminum-Nickel, FAO Coinage	1.00
POLAND:	Y50a	10 Zlotych 1969, Copper-Nickel	1.50
THAILAND:	Y91	1 Baht B.E. 2513 (1970), Copper-Nickel, 6th Asian Games Comm.	.75
TURKEY:	Y119	25 Lire 1970 (32mm), Silver, 50th Anniv. Founding of Grand National Assembly	6.50

Staff Reports & Club News

MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

CHANGES OF ADDRESS:

- 241-MT MSGT Miller B. Arbutine, Box 1701, University of Tampa, Tampa, Fla. -- (Crowns & Talers)
- 482-MT V. T. Gopalan, 51 Syed Amir Ali Avenue, Ballygunge, Calcutta 19, India -- (World Types)
- 161-MT Maj. Paul L. Harrison, HQ USAFE CMR Box 8293, APO New York 09633 -- (World by Date)
- 437 All9510 A. C. Laufer, I.R., Dept. of Air, Russell Offices (EDP DIC), Canberra ACT 2600, Australia (World Types)
- 202-MT Klaus Persing, DDR-409 Halle-Neustadt 233/G, German Democratic Republic -- (Netherlands, World Types)
- 158 Wm. A. Peters, P. O. Box 222, Burlington, Mass. 01803 -- (World Types)
- 486-MT Wm. L. Robinson, 4014 - 8th Ave. #4 N.E., Seattle, Washington 98168 -- (Chinese - Struck & Cast)
- 440-MT Prof. Guenter Roeblitz, DDR - 705 Leipzig, Leninstrasse 145, German Democratic Republic (Saxonia)

SEPTEMBER APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP: Membership Applications #506-525 published in the September Bulletin have been admitted to membership.

OCTOBER APPLICATIONS FOR MEMBERSHIP: The following persons have applied for membership. If no written objections are received by November 1, 1970 their membership will become effective that date. (MT - Will Trade by Mail).

- 526-MT Roy A. Kolberg, 252 River St., Apt. #202, East Lansing, Mich. 48823 -- (Ancients, Medieval, Etc.)
- 527-MT Harriet Morello, 26 Clifford Drive, West Hartford, Conn. 06107 -- (World Proofs & Crowns)
- 528-MT Michael Robert Fried, P. O. Box 12217, Oakland, Calif. 94604 -- (Korean, Israeli, Ancients)
- 529-MT Dr. Michael Kupa, Maros U. 44/B I. I., Budapest XII, Hungary -- (Paper Money, Hungary)
- 530 E. A. Baldwin, P. O. Box 113, Port Moody, B. C., Canada -- (Canadian)

- 531-MT Ernest J. Grassey, 446 Broadway, Apt. #16, Chelsea.
Mass. 02150 -- (Canada, Germany, England)
- 532-MT Jan W. van der Sande, Physics Dept, Univ. of
Witwatersrand, Johannesburg, S. Africa
(South Africa & Rhodesia)
- 533-MT Francis M. Rogg, 928 Sixth Ave., Dayton, Ky. 41074
(Foreign Minor Types)
- 534 Randolph Zander, Box 3013, Alexandria, Va. 22302
(Dealer in World Coins)
- 535 Mrs. Harry Brooks, 5631-B W. Lovers Lane, Dallas,
Texas 75209 -- (Dealer in World Coins)
- 536-MT William Hwang, 8 Blueberry Hill, Irvington, N. Y.
10533 -- (Chinese Modern & Cash)
- 537 Gene Galletta, Box 95, Tenafly, N. J. 07670
(Dealer in World Coins)
- 538-MT Eugene Thomas Klein, North Avenue, P. O. Box 135,
Millbrook, N. Y. 12545 -- (Philippines & Crowns)
- 539-MT Wm. C. Brady, 5023 W. Stanford, Dallas, Texas 75209
(World Types)
- 540-MT P. H. Knijnsberg, Dussartstraat 55, Amsterdam-Z,
Netherlands -- (Dealer of World Coins)
- 541-MT Marvin A. Huggins, 9668-C Nor. Lakes Dr., St. Louis,
Missouri 63136 -- (Germany & Scandanavia)

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REINSTATEMENTS: The following members have complied with  
the By-Laws and Special Directives of the Board of Governors  
and are hereby reinstated to full membership:

- 361 Don E. Tilton, P. O. Box 5066, Highland Crest Station,  
Topeka, Kansas 66605 -- (World Types & China)
- 187-MT Richard C. Upton, P. O. Box 136, Pimento, Ind. 47866  
(Notgeld)

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CHRISTMAS DINNER MEETING: As mentioned last month, the
IL SORRENTO Italian Restaurant has been selected as the site
for the annual Christmas Dinner and Awards Banquet. The
1971 Officers will be installed also at this meeting.

Awards will be presented to many members for outstanding
service to NI during 1970 in presenting the best programs,
best articles for the Bulletin and other services.

The total cost (including tips and favors) will be \$5.75 per
person. Guests are urged. Make reservations now with
Edward E. Slade, Jr. (Dinner Chairman). Phone: 351-6662.

REPORT ON QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS

FIRST, in behalf of the Board of Governors, a hearty THANK YOU for the wonderful response to the questionnaires. 103 replies were received, over 1/3 of the membership when you consider that all the overseas members receiving their bulletin by sea mail did not get it in time to make a reply. This excellent response proves once again -- THE NI MEMBERSHIP CARES ABOUT THEIR ORGANIZATION!

It was hoped to personally answer all those who offered additional comments and suggestions but once they reached a total of 50, I decided to use this space in the bulletin to let you know the results of the replies and the action taken by the Board of Governors on the many suggestions received. The questions asked in the questionnaire will be covered first, followed by other items of interest suggested by various members.

1. DUES: 83 members favored raising dues as necessary.
20 suggested we hold the dues at \$3.00.

2. 1971 DUES: 34 suggested \$5.00; 31 - \$4.00; 17 - \$3.00;
and 21 suggested various figures ranging to \$10.00.

In line with the tally of the membership replies to questions 1. and 2. above, the Board of Governors recommended that the 1971 dues be set at \$4.00. It was ascertained that, even with a upcoming 33-1/3% or more increase in domestic postage costs, with an annual dues of \$4.00 all current levels of services to the membership can be handled and there would be a slight excess of capital to build up the club treasury. Any additional services to the membership will require new sources of revenue and investigation of several suggestions has been undertaken.

3. ADVERTISING: 49 favored advertising; 39 not in favor;
and 15 either expressed no opinion or did not reply.

4. WOULD OR WOULD NOT ADVERTISE IN THE BULLETIN: 39 would advertise; 46 would not; and 18 did not reply.

5. RATES FOR ADVERTISING: The replies received were all over the board.

One thing of interest is that the members who made comments on the back of their questionnaire were quite adamant in their opposition to advertising. More "additional comments" were received in opposition than in favor. Therefore, the Board decided that the issue, not having a substantial majority in favor, should be tabled at this time. The question of advertising will be looked into at a future date, if and when the additional revenue is needed. From the consensus of the comments, it was decided that should any advertising be accepted for the bulletin at a future date, it should be limited to members only and be of a "classified listing" nature only. No full page, half-page or quarter-page ads, only 2, 3, 4 lines per ad.

Many suggestions by the members replying were taken into consideration by the Board. Among them were:

NON-PROFIT STATUS WITH INTERNAL REVENUE AND U.S. POST OFFICE:

It was decided that every effort will be used between now and January 1972 to obtain a tax-exempt non-profit organization status ruling from the Internal Revenue Service. The first step will be filing incorporation papers as a non-profit organization early in 1971. After that, an application for a ruling by the Internal Revenue Service will be filed and, if approved, an application will be made to the U.S. Post Office for non-profit organization mailing rates, which are considerably under regular mail rates. Once this is achieved the club could accept tax-deductible donations which would be an invaluable additional source of new income.

MAIL-BID AUCTIONS: An investigation is currently underway to establish a committee in some U.S. city, other than Dallas, to handle 4 mail-bid auctions annually, once each quarter. If a committee can be selected in time, 4 auctions will be conducted during 1971 with the proceeds going into the club treasury. Any group of members in a common area that would be willing to work as a committee and conduct these auctions should contact the club immediately.

RAFFLE: Several suggestions of a monthly club raffle were received. This cannot be considered as raffles are illegal under Texas State Law.

SALE OF BACK ISSUES OF NI BULLETINS: A firm price of .25¢ each has been set on back issues of the NI Bulletins. See other parts of this bulletin for a list of issues available.

3-HOLE PUNCH OF BULLETIN: This suggestion will be honored if the membership backs the club in purchasing binders for the NI Bulletin. Your purchase of binders adds revenue to the club treasury.

PURCHASING POSTAGE BELOW FACE VALUE: The Board is definitely in favor of this. Any member knowing where we may purchase postage stamps at 15-20% below face should immediately notify us of the source. In fact anyone wanting to sell stamps at below face should send them to the club address along with a bill. We will accept any postage that is 10% or more below face value. Write first on large amounts.

INCREASING MEMBERSHIP: It has been decided to extend the current Membership Drive until the time we reach 500 active members. It is felt that a membership of 500 is a must for comfortable solvency in the treasury with dues at \$4.00.

Again, many thanks for the response. Cooperation such as this guarantees the continued success of NI. Who knows -- one of these days we find find that NI will be the ANA of the world coin collecting group!

Marvin L. Fraley, Editor

1971 DUES

As outlined in the By-Laws, the Board of Governors shall recommend the dues for the forthcoming year and they must be published in the annual October NI Bulletin. Any written objections to the proposed dues and fees will be read at the November meeting prior to the vote to ratify said dues and fees.

At the monthly meeting of the Board on September 30th it was decreed that the dues for 1971 be set at \$4.00 which will include seamaile delivery to those members overseas, except that those members who have an APO or FPO address shall receive airmail delivery.

Additional charges for airmail delivery will be \$3.00 per year in those areas where the airmail rate is 15¢ per half-ounce (West Indies, Central and South America); \$4.00 per year in those areas where the airmail rate is 20¢ per half-ounce (Western and Central Europe, North Africa); and \$5.00 per year in those areas where the airmail rate is 25¢ per half-ounce (Africa other than North Africa, Australia and Asia).

The above costs reflect a \$1.00 raise in the annual dues. Extra charges for airmail deliver overseas remains the same as it has been.



FIFTH ANNUAL EXHIBIT MEETING NEXT MONTH

The meeting place will be changed for the month of November only. The Exhibit Night meeting will be held at:

Midway Hills Christain Church
11001 Midway Road
Dallas, Texas

A map showing the location of the meeting place will be furnished in next month's NI Bulletin.

Meetings will resume at the Republic Savings & Loan Assoc. Community Room in January as the December Meeting will be a dinner meeting at the Il Sorrento Restaurant.

Any member that has not signed up with Exhibit Chairman ROSS SCHRAEDER for an exhibit is urged to do so immediately. Each and every member in the Dallas-Ft. Worth area is expected to present at least one exhibit.

It is highly recommended that supplementary lighting be furnished by each exhibitor as the regular lighting in the meeting area is not sufficient to properly illuminate your display. There are plenty of wall outlets but the use of extension cords and multiple plugs is urged. Bring your own.

REGISTER YOUR EXHIBIT NOW! LET'S HAVE ANOTHER RECORD EXHIBIT!

(Refer to the September NI Bulletin for Exhibit Rules.)

BACK ISSUES OF NI BULLETINS FOR SALE

The following issues of NI Bulletins are on hand and available for sale to the membership at a cost of \$.25 cents each:

1967 - July, November
1968 - January, February, June, September
1969 - February, May, June, July, August, September, October
1970 - All issues except May

All the above issues contain feature articles on various numismatic subjects. Below are several issues still on hand that are of less interest and these are available for \$.15 cents each:

1967 - June, August, September, October, December
1968 - April, May, July, August, October, November, December

(Note: Issues before 1970 are mimeographed on 8½" x 11".)

Xerox copies of any issues not listed above can be obtained on special request with cost varying to size of issue. The NI Bulletin has been published monthly since February 1967.

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BULLETIN EDITOR'S REPORT: Due to the excessive amount of club business this month, feature articles have been omitted from the NI Bulletin. The regular practice of one or more feature articles per Bulletin will be reinstated next month. We presently have on hand the following articles which will be featured in future NI Bulletins:

"Bullet Money of Siam" - Albert J. Ruh  
"Coinage of Kutch" - Richard K. Bright  
"Variations of Baroda Coppers" - Richard K. Bright  
"Some Comments on Junagadh Y-2" - Richard K. Bright  
"A Bundi 1/4 Paisa and a Kutch Kori" - Richard K. Bright  
"Privy Marks on Dutch Coins" - Marvin L. Fraley  
"A Listing of Oriental Coins" - Patrick D. Hogan

Member Adalbert Goertz has indicated that he would like to see an article on gold holding privileges of citizens of various countries. This should be of interest to many NI members. Anyone want to take the challenge and come up with a researched article on this?

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PROFESSIONAL NUMISMATISTS GUILD SHOW

The 7th National Show of the P.N.G. will be held at the Baker Hotel in Dallas on October 29th through 31st. In addition to the P.N.G. coin dealers bourse there will be and Educational Program and Outstanding Exhibits, including the Bureau of Engraving and Printing BILLION DOLLAR CURRENCY EXHIBIT. The show is co-sponsored by the Dallas Coin Club and there should be an excellent turnout to this always fine show.

DID YOU ORDER BINDERS FOR YOUR NI BULLETINS?

The orders received to date for NI Bulletin Binders has been very disappointing. Less than 40 have been ordered. As mentioned last month, we must have orders for at least 125 before we can proceed with the order. We are extending the offer through this month in hope that more support is received toward the project.

Many of you suggested ways to build up the club treasury. Ordering of NI Bulletin Binders is an excellent manner to support the treasury. If we receive sufficient orders to go ahead with the project there would be a small amount of profit from each binder to go into building up the treasury. However, if we have to order less than 250, the most economical number to purchase, the selling price and cost would be about equal: \$2.50 each.

SUPPORT NI -- ORDER 2, 3 OR MORE BINDERS IMMEDIATELY!

SECRETARY DALE CARPENTER RESIGNS - FERRELL APPOINTED

With much regret the Board of Governors accepted the resignation of Dale S. Carpenter as Secretary at the September meeting. Dale's resignation was for reasons of health and the Board joins the membership in wishing him a speedy and complete recovery. Dale had been a valuable asset to the NI Board and his absence will be felt.

In line with the resignation of Dale, the Board of Governors would like to announce the appointment of James L. Ferrell, a Founder Member of NI, to fill out the remainder of the term. James previously served as Secretary-Treasurer in 1965 prior to entering the U.S. Navy and will be a valuable addition to the Board.

WHY AN ATTENDANCE PRIZE?

Several comments were received from members returning the questionnaires of last month concerning the Attendance Prize offered each month to a local member attending the meeting. Several thought that a "Non-Attendance Prize" should be made available to members outside the Dallas-Ft. Worth area who are naturally unable to attend. It is perhaps a failure on the part of the NI Bulletin staff that an explanation of the "Attendance Prize" has not be offered before.

Even though NI has a membership of well over 300, only about 65-70 of these members live in the Dallas-Ft. Worth area. The "Attendance Prize" was inaugurated to gain additional attendance of the local members as the average monthly attendance has been only 25-30 members. The "prize" to date has been donated by a member of the Board of Governors each month at no expense to the club treasury. The prize will be continued for several meetings and if an increased membership attendance at the local meetings is not gained, it will be discontinued.

However, your suggestions of a "Non-Attendance Prize" are welcome. As in the case of the present prize, however, it should be on a donation basis. If enough "non-locals" support the idea and donations are received, we will inaugurate a "Non-Attendance Prize" which will go monthly to a non-Dallas area member. Send in your prize donations and it will be inaugurated.

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BUD BUTTERWORTH OFFERS PHOTOGRAPHY SERVICE TO THE MEMBERS

Coin photography is now available to members submitting articles or other items to the NI Bulletin. Bud Butterworth has offered his services to any member wanting coins photographed in conjunction with material for the NI Bulletin.

As long as the material is for use in the Bulletin, expenses involved will be paid to Bud by the club. A few ground rules are in order for those using this service.

Cost of sending material to Bud for photographing and the return cost shall be borne by the member. If the items are to be insured on return, let Bud know the amount of insurance required. Also enclose with the parcel sufficient stamps or money to cover the return shipment. (This should be about the same as what it costs to ship it to Bud.)

Please allow 2-3 weeks for return of your items as Bud will prefer to hold the items until the finished prints have been received. This delay would allow the items to be re-photographed in the event the first prints are unacceptable.

Mail items to be photographed to: W. B. "Bud" Butterworth  
2115 West Long 17th St.  
No. Little Rock, Ark. 72114

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DO YOU HAVE A "WHAT IS IT?"

Several comments have been received regarding a service to the members in identifying coins. We inaugurated the "NI Attribution Service" in February 1969 and several members have taken advantage of this service. Bob Tomlinson is the Chairman of the Attribution Committee and all material for attribution should be sent direct to him at:

P. O. Box 38411
Dallas, Texas 75238

As an addition to the present service, at various times, space permitting, photographs of coins or items that are especially difficult to identify will be placed in the Bulletin along with an appeal for assistance from the membership. Anyone having items that you feel fit into this category are asked to send them to Bud Butterworth for photographing (see announcement above) and we will place the photo of your item in a future bulletin.

Member Notice Page

Adalbert Goertz, 22 Strickler Ave., Waynesboro, Penna. 17268:
WANTED: Danzig, German, Dutch coins 1800-1940. Will trade my European coins (no British). Nickel-silver-gold (copper before 1870) wanted.

David O. Finnell, 3202 Suffolk St., El Paso, Texas 79925:
Would like to buy or trade for Australia half-cents and one-cents. Victorian Pennies 1841-1901. Will trade Mexico, Philippine, etc. Write for details. All letters answered.

Wm. Ritchie, Rocky Hill Rd., Grahamsville, N. Y. 12740:
As a newcomer to World Coins, I need help with my specialty -- 50¢ or rupee size coins, new and old types. I have U.S., Canadian and Great Britain silver types and dates to offer any interested traders.

David Cannon, P. O. Box 341, Jeffersonville, Indiana 47130:
WANTED: World Coins magazine - Nos. 1, 2 and 4; research on Liberian patterns and post 1849 French coppers. Will buy or trade.

Richard K. Bright, P. O. Box 63, Robesonia, Pa. 19551:
Have some nice Indian States coins to trade for others that I need. Also, have a lot of worldwide duplicates for trade.

W. Harrison, 101 Boon Keng Road, Singapore 12: Would like to trade for Br. Commonwealth coins, particularly Ceylon, St. Settlements, and Gr. Britain. I have duplicates of many to trade for those I don't have. Write for details, and advise what you have for trade.

Miller B. Arbutine, Box 1701, University of Tampa, Tampa, Florida 33600: I have Spain Y60, 61, 74, 75, 76, 82, 86, 89 and others to trade for World Crowns, half-crowns and commemorative half-dollars.

Sydney W. Beaney, P. O. Box 84, Station "K", Toronto 12, Canada: Have most of the earlier Franklin Mint specimens for trade. Please write.

John Hunter, R.F.D. 1, Hillsboro, N. H. 03244: Would like to hear from anyone who has France Y84 1937; Hejaz or Nejd c/s on Turkey Y43, 43a, 44, 44a, 45, 46; Turkey Y43 Year 7 and Y43a Year 7.

Salvatore DiGloria, 117 Farnham St., Lawrence, Mass. 01843:
Wish to trade my modern issue crowns, some F.A.O. coins also! Would like coins of the Craig Era in exchange. Crowns are all Uncirculated. List Available, just write.

James C. Koors, 6987 SCTY GP Box 667, APO San Francisco 96360:
Would like NI members to check their collections and send me information on any coins possessed by, known by them, which has a ship, boat, or other type water craft (including prow or rudder). Particularly interested in date and name/type of ship.